

# Prenatal Care

**Table 1. Percent (standard Error) of women initiating prenatal care in the first semester, according to sociodemographic characteristics. Ques. #16**

Maternal Characteristics	percent (s.e.)
<b>Total</b>	74.8(1.2)
<b>Race</b>	
Black	62.9(2.1)
White	83.0(1.3)
<b>Age</b>	
Less than 20	55.9(3.5)
20-29	75.0(1.5)
30+	84.4(1.9)
<b>Education</b>	
Less than High School	56.7(2.9)
High School	72.4(2.0)
More than High School	86.4(1.4)
<b>Marital Status</b>	
Married	88.1(1.1)
Other	59.4(2.0)
<b>Birthweight</b>	
LBW (<2500 grams)	66.2(3.6)
NBW (>= 2500 grams)	75.6(1.2)
<b>Medicaid Status*</b>	
Medicaid	62.9(1.8)
Other	89.5(1.2)

**Table 2. Percent (standard Error) of women initiating prenatal care as early as they wanted, according to sociodemographic characteristics. #17**

Maternal Characteristics	percent (s.e.)
<b>Total</b>	77.1(1.1)
<b>Race</b>	
Black	70.7(2.0)
White	81.6(1.3)
<b>Age</b>	
Less than 20	65.6(3.3)
20-29	76.3(1.5)
30+	86.6(1.8)
<b>Education</b>	
Less than High School	66.3(2.8)
High School	75.6(1.9)
More than High School	84.9(1.4)
<b>Marital Status</b>	
Married	86.4(1.2)
Other	67.2(1.9)
<b>Birthweight</b>	
LBW (<2500 grams)	66.2(3.5)
NBW (>= 2500 grams)	78.6(1.2)
<b>Medicaid Status*</b>	
Medicaid	68.0(1.7)
Other	89.4(1.2)

**Table 3. Percent (standard error) of women by source of prenatal care, according to sociodemographic characteristics. # 19**

Maternal Characteristics	Hospital Clinic percent (s.e.)	HD Clinic percent (s.e.)	Private Doctor percent (s.e.)	Other percent(s.e.)	Primary Care Clinic/CMM percent (s.e.)	State Hospital percent (s.e.)	Total percent
<b>Total</b>	17.0(1.0)	6.2(0.7)	68.2(1.3)	1.7(0.3)	3.9(0.5)	3.0(0.5)	100
<b>Race</b>							
Black	24.2(1.9)	11.5(1.4)	53.4(2.2)	1.6(.54)	3.9(0.8)	5.4(1.1)	100
White	11.9(1.1)	2.9(0.6)	78.4(1.4)	1.7(0.5)	3.9(0.7)	1.3(0.4)	100
<b>Age</b>							
Less than 20	25.4(3.1)	15.3(2.6)	47.7(3.5)	3.5(1.3)	2.8(1.0)	5.4(1.8)	100
20-29	17.2(1.4)	5.0(0.8)	68.4(1.7)	1.6(0.4)	4.8(0.8)	3.1(0.6)	100
30+	11.6(1.7)	3.6(1.1)	79.8(2.1)	0.9(0.5)	2.6(0.9)	1.5(0.6)	100
<b>Education</b>							
Less than High School	27.4(2.7)	16.2(2.3)	43.0(3.0)	2.9(1.0)	5.3(1.3)	5.3(1.4)	100
High School	19.1(1.8)	5.1(1.0)	66.5(2.1)	1.6(0.6)	4.1(0.9)	3.5(0.9)	100
More than High School	9.5(1.2)	1.7(0.5)	83.3(2.1)	1.1(.41)	2.9(0.7)	1.5(0.5)	100
<b>Marital Status</b>							
Married	10.7(1.1)	2.1(0.5)	81.6(1.4)	1.8(0.5)	2.0(0.5)	1.9(0.5)	100
Other	24.2(1.8)	10.9(1.3)	52.7(2.1)	1.6(0.5)	6.2(1.0)	4.4(0.9)	100
<b>Birthweight</b>							
LBW	20.3(3.1)	10.0(2.4)	58.6(3.8)	2.2(1.2)	5.0(1.7)	4.0(1.5)	100
NBW	16.6(1.1)	5.8(0.7)	69.3(1.3)	1.6(0.4)	3.8(0.6)	2.9(0.5)	100
<b>Medicaid Status*</b>							
Medicaid	23.0(1.6)	10.0(1.1)	55.1(1.8)	2.0(0.5)	5.9(0.9)	4.5(0.8)	100
Other	9.5(1.2)	2.0(0.6)	84.6(1.4)	1.3(0.4)	1.3(0.3)	1.2(0.4)	100

\* A mother is considered "on Medicaid" if she was enrolled in Medicaid during any of the following time periods: just before pregnancy, during prenatal care or during delivery.